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# **Brookline Fitness Directory**



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"If we could give every individual the right amount of nourishment and exercise, not too little and not too much, we could have found the safest way to health." Hippocrates



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**Community Organizations** 

Name	Description	Hours of Operation	Contact Info	Accessibility to Public Transportation
Brookline Adult and Community Education	Various exercise and fitness classes for all adults. Classes are paid for in a block.	Day and Evening Classes Office Hours: Mon-Thu 9am-9pm Fri 9am-5pm Sat 8am-2pm	Room 101, Brookline High School 115 Greenough St. Brookline, MA 02445 (617) 730-2700 www.brooklineadulted.org	Classes held at various locations
Brookline Recreation Department	Exercise, fitness, swimming, recreational sports and other programs throughout Brookline. Classes are paid for in a block.	Day and Evening Classes Office Hours: Mon- Fri 8:30am-5pm	Eliot Recreation Center 133 Eliot Street Chestnut Hill, MA 02467 (617) 730-2069 www.brooklinerec.com/	Various locations
Brookline Senior Center	Exercise and dance classes, walking groups for senior citizens.	Mon- Fri 8:30am-5:00 pm	93 Winchester Street Brookline, MA 02446 (617) 730-2777	Green "C" Line Summit Ave
Brookline Special Olympics	Local annual Special Olympics and other sports activities. See contact information.	Varies	Contact the Recreation Department (617) 730-2069 www.brooklinerec.com/ Search "Special Olympics" or grboston@specialolympicsma.org	Various locations

#### **Dance**

	Dance									
Name	Programs/ Equipment	Population/ Average Class Size	Cost & Discounts	Hours of O	peration	Contact Info	Accessibility to Public Transportation			
Brookline Academy of Dance	Ballet, Tap, Jazz, Breakdancing, Hip Hop	Children & Adults	Per Class, Block of classes, and Unlimited 10% discount for families with 2 or more students Discounted tuition rate for multiple classes	Open 7 days a week except holidays and school vacations		136 Westbourne Terr Brookline, MA 02446 (617) 277-1139 www.brooklineacademy.com Email : MeliissaTaylon@brooklineacademy.co m	Green "C" Line Washington Sq. or 66 Bus			
Dancesport Academy New England	Ballroom Dancing, Salsa, Swing	Children at 6 and above & Adults Avg Class Size: 5-30 Private lessons are available	Per Class or Per session Free introductory group class every Tuesday 7pm	Friday Sat Sun-Thu	Closed Closed or Evening Social Event Afternoon or evening classes	384 Harvard St. Brookline, MA 02446 (617) 566-7850 www.dancesport-newengland.com	Green "C" Line Coolidge Corner			
Jean Paige School of Dance	Ballet	Children Class Size: 5-8 Max Adult Class Size: 7	Tuition for School Year http://www.jeanpaige.com /tuition.htm	For kids:	Wed, Thu, Sat Tue, Wed, Thu	1485 Beacon St. Brookline, MA 02446 (617) 277-4161 www.jeanpaige.com	Green "C" Line Washington Square			
Peanut Butter & Jelly Dance Company	Creative movement classes/Dance performance experience for children	Children Ages 3-10 Rare adult Classes Max. class size 15	Tuition fee per session, fees vary Two half scholarships	Tuesday- Thursday	Afternoon classes	Classes take place at: Church Of Our Savior 25 Monmouth Street Brookline, MA 02446 (617)738-7688 www.pbjdanceco.org	Green "C" Line Hawes Street, Green "D" Line Longwood Ave.			
The Brookline Ballet School	Classical Ballet (Youth and Adult), Modern/Contempo rary/Jazz (Youth), Salsa (Adult), Pre- School Creative Dance Group fitness classes, personal training, yoga, capoeira Summertime Ballet Adventures Vinyasa Flow; Yoga;Toddler & Kids Yoga	Youth class size: 6-14 Max Adult Class Size: 20 Typical Adult Class Size: 5-15 Typical	Tuition for Youth, PreSchool and Adult programs at www.brooklineballet.com Drop-in & class pass rates on website. No membership required Drop-in & monthly memberships Session cost depending on length, drop-in if space available	Open 7 days/week and school vacations. Schedule on website. Daily – consult website for schedule.		1431 Beacon St. Brookline, MA 02446 617.879.9988 info@brooklineballet.com www.sinhacapoeira.com sinhacapoeira@hotmail.com	The Green C-Line T stop Winchester/Summit is right at our door			

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	Yoga, Zumba, and ballet, jazz-, and Latin-ballroom- based fitness classes. Private and semi-private lessons. Engaging workshops in various dance styles.		1404A Beacon St. Brookline, MA	The Green C-Line T stop Winchester/Summi
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# **Health and Fitness Organizations**

Name	Programs/ Equipment	Population/ Capacity/ Average Class Size	Cost & Discounts	Hours of Op	eration	Contact Info	Accessibility to Public Transportation
Beacon Hill Athletic Clubs	Cardiovascular and resistance Equipment Classes- Yoga, Pilates, Muscle/Abs, Spinning, Cardioboxing	Men & Women Capacity: 400 Avg Class Size: 7	Enrollment fee+ Various membership fee	Mon-Thurs Friday Saturday Sunday	6am - 10pm 6am - 9pm 8am - 7pm 8am - 7pm	279 Washington St. Brookline, MA 02445 (617) 277-8600 www.beaconhillathleticclubs.com /clubs-brookline-village.php	Green "D" Line Brookline Village
B.E. Training And Fitness, Inc.	Personal training services, including cardiovascular, strength, flexibility, balance, stability, mind/body and nutrition Partner training Group training Workplace program	Men & Women Kids & Teens Individual or group	Free 1-hour consult Pricing by session or package	Flexible 7 days a Week	By appointment	Beth Erlichman (617) 823-1032 www.gobefit.com beth@gobefit.com	Mobile services
Commonwealth Sports Club	Personal training Pilates, yoga, Spinning, Boxing, Weight training & Cardio equipment	Men & Women Over 18 Class size varies	Many membership options. Students, seniors and corporate discounts	Mon-Thu Fri Saturday Sunday	5:30am – 10pm 5:30am – 9pm 8am – 7 pm 8am – 7pm	1079 Commonwealth Avenue Boston, MA 02215 617-254-1711 membership@commonwealthsportsclub.com	Green Line "B" Packards Corner
Fitness Together	General Exercise Equipment, 1 on 1, 1 on 2, 1 on 3, or hometraining with a personal trainer	Teenage:13 -18 Men and Women Capacity: 250	No Enrollment Fee, Pay for a block of sessions Free session available	Mon-Fri Saturday Sunday	6am - 9pm 6am - 3pm Closed	1404a Beacon St. Brookline, MA 02446 (617) 232-2297 http://www.ftbrookline.com info@ftbrookline.com	Green "C " Line Summit Ave
Benefitness	General Exercise Equipment Yoga, Pilates, Cardio, Weight Training Personal Training, Nutrition services, body composition testing	Female teen : 13-17 Adult Women Class size varies	Enrollment + Monthly membership or annual membership Discount for Seniors & College Student	Mon-Thurs Friday Saturday Sunday	5:30am - 9:30pm 5:30am - 8:30pm 7am - 6pm 8am - 5pm	62 (rear) Harvard St. Brookline, MA 02445 (617) 232-7440 benefitnesshealthclub.com	Green Line "D" Brookline Village 66 Bus

# **Health and Fitness Organizations**

Name	Programs/ Equipment	Population/ Capacity/ Average Class Size	Cost & Discounts	Hours of Operation	Contact Info	Accessibility to Public Transportation
Wellness, Inc.	Playful exercise and wellness routines for young children. Linked to the "President's Challenge Fitness Program."	3 to 10 year olds accompanied by adults	Free downloads, plus Wellness Workshops for parents, schools and therapists	Mon-Fri 9am – 5pm	(617) 713-0949 www.kidswellness.net kv@wellnessconsultation.org	Online program
HealthWorks Brookline	General Exercise Equipment and Classes- Yoga, Pilates, Strength Training	Women Capacity: 100 Avg Class Size: 15-30	Enrollment + Monthly Fee Discounts for seniors, college students Corporate Discounts available	Mon- Fri 5:30am-10:00pm Sat & Sun 7:30am - 8pm	Coolidge Corner Healthworks 325 Harvard St (617) 731-3030 www.healthworksfitness.com	60 Bus
Gymlt	Co-Ed 100 Pieces of cardio equipment, locker rooms with showers, 3 strength training areas, group and personal training		\$19/month	Mon-Fri: 5am- 11pm Sat-Sun: 7am- 10pm	920 Comm. Ave Brookline, MA 02446	Green "B" Line Access the garage on Drummer St. and enter on 4 <sup>th</sup> fl

### **Martial Arts**

Name	Programs/ Equipment	Population/ Average Class Size	Cost & Discounts	Hours of Opera	ation	Contact Info	Accessibility to Public Transportation
Boston Karate Club @ Inner Space	Shotokan Karate	Men & Women	Enrollment Fee + Monthly Fee Discounts for Children & College Students	Tues & Thurs Saturday	7:30 PM- 8:45 PM 10:30 AM- 11:45 AM	17 Station Street Brookline, MA 02445 (617) 730-5757 www.yogainthevillage.com/bkc/about.html bkcspirit@mac.com	Green "D " Line Brookline Village
The Boston School of Boabom	Boabom, Seamm Jasani	Men & Women & Children	Coming to class once a week costs \$60 per month; twice a week (within the same Art) costs \$80 per month. 20% Discounts for Seniors, Full time students, Families	Mon & Wed Tue Thu Sat  SeammJasani Mon Thu Sat  Children 4-7 years: Mon Tue & Wed Fri	6 PM - 9 PM 7 PM - 8 PM 12 PM - 1 PM 7 PM - 8 PM 10:45 AM - 11:45 AM 1:30 PM - 2:30 PM 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM 11 AM -12 PM 6 PM - 9 PM 10:45 AM - 11:45 AM 6 PM - 7 PM 5 PM - 6 PM 4 PM - 5 PM	33a Harvard Street, Suite 201 Brookline, MA 02445 617-480-8237 www.bostonboabom.com info@bostonboabom.com	Green "D " Line Brookline Village
Brookline Tai Chi	Tai Chi, Chi Gung, Ba Gua, Longevity Breathing	Adult Men & Women Some teenagers Avg Class Size: 6-8	Pay Per Block of Classes 20% Discounts for Multiple classes, Family, Senior, Student, Disability, Veteran	Mon – Sun	Hours vary	1615 Beacon Street Brookline, MA 02446 (617) 277-2975 www.brooklinetaichi.org website@brooklinetaichi.org	Green "C " Line Washington Square
Japan Karate Association of Boston	Shotokan Karate	Men , Women & Children Avg Class Size: 5-25	Membership fee, Pay by month, week, or per class Family discounts	Weekdays Saturday	Late Afternoon Evening Mornings	310 Harvard St, 2 <sup>nd</sup> floor Brookline, MA 02446 (617) 566-2966 www.jkaboston.com getinfo@jkaboston.com	Green "C " Line Coolidge Corner

See also: Community Organizations

Sports Programs*										
Name	Programs	Population	Cost	Contact Info						
	Aerobics, Golf, Skiing, Swimming, and Tennis Lessons	Adults and Children	Varies	Eliot Recreation Center 133 Eliot Street Chestnut Hill, MA 02467 (617) 730-2069 www.townofbrooklinemass.com/recreation						
Brookline Recreation Department	Lap Swimming and Aquatic Exercise	Adults 17+	Varies	Brookline Swimming Pool 60 Tappan St. Brookline, MA 02446 (617) 713-5435 www.townofbrooklinemass.com/recreation/ Swimming.html						
	Open Gym and Skating Rink	Adults and Children	Varies	www.townofbrooklinemass.com/recreation						
	Tennis Courts	Adults and Children	Varies depending on court	www.townofbrooklinemass.com/recreation/ tenniscourts.html						
Putterham Meadows Golf Club	Golf Course	Adults Children: 4-17	Varies	1281 W. Roxbury Pkwy Chestnut Hill, MA 02467 (617) 730-2078 www.brooklinegolf.com/						

See also: Community Organizations
\*Excludes school-sponsored organized sports. For more information contact local schools.

# **Sports Teams\***

Name	Programs	Population	Cost	Contact Info
Brookline Recreation	Children's Team Sports: Basketball, Baseball, Lacrosse, Soccer, Softball, Swim Team	Boys and Girls	Varies	Eliot Recreation Center 133 Eliot Street Chestnut Hill, MA 02467
Department	Adult Team Sports: Softball (Men), Hockey (Co-Ed),	Adults	Varies	(617) 730-2069 www.townofbrooklinemass.com/recreation
Brookline/ Jamaica Plain Pop Warner Football	Football and Cheerleading	Boys and Girls 7 –1 5	Varies	Call Recreation Department for contact information (617) 730-2069 www.townofbrooklinemass.com/recreation
Brookline Soccer Club	Soccer	Boys and Girls 9 - 18	Varies	P.O. Box 566 Brookline MA 02446 www.brooklinesoccer.org/
Brookline Youth Baseball	Baseball	Boys and Girls 7 - 15	Varies	http://www.brooklineyouthbaseball.org/
Brookline Youth Hockey	Hockey	Boys and Girls 6 - 18	Varies	P.O. Box 67371 Chestnut Hill, MA 02467-0004 www.brooklineyouthhockey.org
Men's Hockey League	Hockey	Adult Men	Varies	Call Recreation Department for contact information (617) 730-2069 www.townofbrooklinemass.com/recreation
Viking Soccer	Soccer, T-ball, Basketball	Adults and Children Pre-K & K	Varies	Viking Sports Camps 258 Harvard Street #365 Brookline, MA 02446 www.vikingcamps.net/camps/

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	Summer and Vacation Camps									
Name	Programs	Population	Cost	Contact Info						
Beaver Country Day School Summer Programs	Programs include a general camp and specialty camps in the arts, sports, and outdoor explorations	Boys and Girls Ages 3-15	Varies	Beaver Summer Programs 791 Hammond St. Chestnut Hill, MA 02467 Phone: (617) 738-2750 Fax: (617) 738 -2790 www.bcdschool.org/summer/launch/camp@bcdschool.org						
Dexter School Southfield School Summer Camps	Sports Camps, Day and Overnight Camps	Boys and Girls 7 - 14	Varies	20 Newton St. Brookline, MA 02445 (617) 454 2725 www.dexter.org/summer summer@dexter.org						
Summer at Park	Day Camps, Sport Camps and Specialty Programs	Boys and Girls Ages 4- 14	Varies	The Park School 171 Goddard Ave Brookline, MA 02445 (617) 274-6024/5 www.parkschool.org/summer summerprograms@parkschool.org						
Viking Sports Camps	Soccer, T-ball, Basketball, After school programs, Summer Camps	Adults and Children	Varies	258 Harvard Street, #365 Brookline, MA 02446 (508) 358-5066 www.vikingcamps.net/ info@vikingcamps.net						

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# **Yoga and Pilates**

Name	Programs/Equipment	Population/ Average Class Size	Cost	Hours of Operation	Contact Info	Accessibility to Public Transportation
Baron Baptiste Power Yoga	Heated power yoga	Adults Average: 30-40 students	Single class or class package	Mon – Sun Hours vary	25 Harvard Street Brookline, MA 02445 617-232-9642 http://www.baronbaptiste.com/pages/brookline_studio.htm info@baronbaptiste.com	Green "D" Line Brookline Village or 66 Bus
Bodycares	Physically-centered therapies	Men & Women Max Class Size: 5	Consultation Fee + Per Class or Block of Classes	Mon       10:30am-7:30pm         Tue       9:30am-6:30pm         Thu       10:30am-7:30pm         Fri       9:30am-6:30pm	124 Harvard St., Suite 17 Brookline, MA 02446 (617) 278-9044 www.bodycares.com info@bodycares.com	Green "D " Line Brookline Village or 66 Bus
Dahn Yoga and Healing Center	Dahn Yoga® is a unique type of yoga that features simple exercises for the conditioning of the body and mind	Men & Women Max Class Size: 14	Short and long-term Memberships	Mon-Fri 8 AM – 9 PM Sat 8 AM – 5 PM	235 Harvard St Brookline, MA 02445 (617) 264-4851 www.dahnyoga.com brooklinedahn@yahoo.com	Green "D " Line Brookline Village or 66 Bus
Inner Space	Yoga, Pilates, Karate and Capoeira	Adults and Children	Discounted 10-class cards or drop-in (start any time)  Discounts for students, seniors, Town employees, Coolidge Theater	Mon – Hours vary	17 Station Street Brookline, MA 02445 (617) 730-5757 www.yogainthevillage.com bkcspirit@mac.com	Green "D " Line Brookline Village 0r 66 bus
Brookline Yoga Studio	lyengar Yoga	Men and Women Avg Class Size: 8-10	Drop-in or Session Rate	Tue, Wed, Thu Latest schedule is online <a href="http://www.yogastudio.org/classes/">http://www.yogastudio.org/classes/</a>	29 Harvard St., 2nd floor Brookline Village, MA brooklineyogastudio.com/index. php manjuv@rcn.com	Green "D" Line Brookline Hills It is a 5 minute walk from the Brookline Village stop on the D Line(Green Line) and located above Lavinia Borcau Day Spa.
The Yoga Studio	Yoga & Non-impact Yoga	Men & Women Avg Class Size: 5	Drop in and 10 Class, Student & Senior Discount	Mon – Sun Latest Schedule is online	29 Harvard St Brookline, MA 02445 (617) 566-1489 www.yogastudio.org/classes/upc oming.shtml info@yogastudio.org	Green "D " Line Brookline Village or 66 Bus

### **Yoga and Pilates**

Name	Programs/Equipment	Population/ Average Class Size	Cost	Hours of Operation	Contact Info	Accessibility to Public Transportation
Modern Pilates	Pilates & Yoga (Private and Class)	Men & Women Avg Class Size: 1-4	Package rate or single classes	Classes in the morning, evening, and weekend	1318 Beacon Street, Brookline, MA 02446 (617) 566-0599 www.modernpilatesboston.com pilates@modernpilatesboston.com  Located at the intersection of Beacon and Harvard Streets PLEASE NOTE: If you are entering during non-business hours, you will have to enter the building at the Harvard Street door (next to The Body Shop). Please push buzzer #12	Green "C " Line Coolidge Corner
The Body Center	TRX Suspension Training Yoga STOTT Pilates Reformer Classes Mat Classes Cardio/Boxing	Men and Women Max. class size: 10	Varies. 20% quarterly discount for Brookline employees	Open 7 days a week Daily Classes Call for an appointment	1 Holden Street Brookline,MA 02455 (617) 731-4227 (4ABS) thebodycenterpilates.com info@thebodycenterpilates. com	Green "D" Line Brookline Village
Bodyscapes	Pilates, Personal Training Sessions, Group Classes M-Su			M-Th: 5:30am- 10pm Fri: 5:30am- 9pm Sat: 7am- 7pm Sun: 8am- 6pm	Brookline, Coolidge Corner 1285 Beacon Street Brookline, MA 02446 617-232-1010	Green "C" Line Coolidge Corner
Roni Brissette Yoga	Yoga & Core class	Primarily adults, also teens; Avg Class Size-small	Drop-in and Blocks of classes Private Sessions	Mon – Sat Hours vary	57 Waverly Street Brookline MA 02445 617-738-9561 www.ronibrissetteyoga.com ronibrissetteyoga@gmail.com.	Green "D" Line Brookline Village or 66 Bus

There are many private yoga instructors in the area. Please consult the Yellow pages for a listing or <a href="http://www.yogajournal.com/directory/?text=brookline">http://www.yogajournal.com/directory/?text=brookline</a>

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# **Supporting Businesses**

Name	Contact Info
Landry's Bicycles	890 Commonwealth Avenue Boston, MA 02215 (617) 232-0446 <a href="http://www.landrys.com/">http://www.landrys.com/</a> mvautour@landrys.com
Ski Market	860 Commonwealth Avenue Boston, MA 02215 (617) 731-6100 http://www.skimarket.com/
Eastern Mountain Sports	1041 Commonwealth Avenue Boston, MA 02215 (617) 254-4250 <a href="http://www.ems.com">http://www.ems.com</a>
REI – Recreational Equipment Inc.	401 Park Drive Boston, MA 02215 (617) 236-0746 <a href="http://www.rei.com/">http://www.rei.com/</a>